PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)
01-592-RCE

In re Application of **ASANO et al.**	
Application Number **10/797,081**	Filed: **3/11/2004**
For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME**	

Group Art Unit **2815**	Examiner **Landau**

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- [ ] One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) $ _____ 120.00
- [x] Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) $ _____ 450.00
- [ ] Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) $ _____ 1020.00
- [ ] Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) $ _____ 1,590.00
- [ ] Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) $ _____ 2160.00
- [ ] Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: $_____ .

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

- [ ] Is enclosed.
- [ ] has already been filed in this application.
- [ ] A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- [x] The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- [x] The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number **50-1147** . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the
- [ ] assignee of record of the entire interest.
- [ ] applicant.
- [x] attorney or agent of record.
- [ ] attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____ .

Date ____ **15 September 2006**

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

Application Number	10/797,081
Filing Date	3/11/2004
First Named Inventor	ASANO
Examiner Name	Landau
Art Unit	2815

☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	($) 450	Attorney Docket No.	01-592-RCE

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check   ☐ None   ☐ Other (please identify):

☑ Deposit Account   Deposit Account Number: **50-1147**   Deposit Account Name: **Posz Law Group, PLC**

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

  ☑ Charge fee(s) indicated below

  ☑ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17   ☑ Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
		Small Entity		Small Entity		Small Entity	
Application Type	Fee ($)	Fee ($)	Fee ($)	Fee ($)	Fee ($)	Fee ($)	Fees Paid ($)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	$
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	160	80	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

		Small Entity
Fee Description	Fee ($)	Fee ($)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)		Multiple Dependent Claims	
					Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
____ - 20 or HP = ____	x ____	= ____				

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
____ - 3 or HP = ____	x ____	= ____	.

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is $ ____   ($ for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41 (a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
____ - 100 = ____	/ 50 = ____	(round up to a whole number) x ____	= ____	

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, $130   fee (no small entity discount)

	Fees Paid($)
Other: Petition for 2-month extension of time _____	450

SUBMITTED BY

Signature	*Kerry S Culpepper* (signature)	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	45,672	Telephone	(703) 707-9110
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